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In re Application of

Jia, et al. :

Application No. 10/681,209

: DECISION ON PETITION

Filed: October 9, 2003

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Attorney Docket No. 62278-1404

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 1, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

The renewed petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed November 16, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months from its mailing date. No extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained within the allowable period. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on February 17, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on August 30, 2006.

The amendment filed November 21, 2006, is noted.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 1700, GAU 1754 for further processing.

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